

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Kojiro TANAKA et al.**

Art Unit: **1657**

Application Number: **10/529,854**

Examiner: **Bin Shen**

Filed: **March 31, 2005**

Confirmation Number: **5346**

For: **MEASURING KIT, MEASURING METHOD AND MEASURING APPARATUS  
OF MICROORGANISM IN LIQUID SAMPLE**

Attorney Docket Number: **052343**

Customer Number: **38834**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 29, 2008

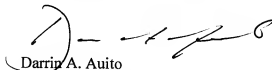
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2008 for three months from July 29, 2008 to October 29, 2008.

Attached please find our payment in the amount of \$1,110.00 for the cost of the extension of time. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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